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Our Case No. 8285-162

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:

Bennett et al.

Serial No.: 08/999,106

Filed: December 29, 1997

For: System and Method for Home  
Automation and Security

Examiner: D. Pope

Group Art Unit: 2736

**PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR § 1.136(a))**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

This is a petition for an extension of the time to respond to Office Action dated November 8, 1999 for a period of 2 month(s).



Applicant is:



a small entity, verified statement is:



attached



already filed



other than small entity

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|                                     | <u>Extension<br/>Months</u> | <u>Other Than<br/>Small Entity</u> | <u>Small Entity</u> |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------------------|---------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | One Month                   | \$110                              | \$55                |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Two Months                  | \$380                              | \$190               |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Three Months                | \$870                              | \$435               |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Four Months                 | \$1,360                            | \$680               |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Five Months                 | \$1,850                            | \$925               |

**Fee Payment**

- ☐ Attached is a check for \_\_\_\_\_ for the Petition fee.
- ☒ Charge Petition fee to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this Petition is attached.
- ☒ Charge any additional fee required or credit for any excess fee paid to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this Petition is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: April 10, 2000

  
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